R A L P H BILL STATUS March 26, 2002 REPORT OF LAST DAY'S ACTION - HOUSE

SCR 6 HAINKEL CONDOLENCES

Expresses condolences on the death of former legislator, insurance executive and civic leader, Laurance Eustis.

Received in the House from the Senate.

Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.

SCR 7 HAINKEL CONDOLENCES

Expresses condolences on the death of Raymond Joseph Salassi, $\mathop{\rm Jr}\nolimits.$

Received in the House from the Senate.

Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.

SCR 8 HAINKEL COMMENDATIONS

Expresses condolences on the death of world renowned decorator, Melanie Pulitzer Feldman.

Received in the House from the Senate.

Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.

SCR 9 HAINKEL COMMENDATIONS

Commends Edward Walker Herlitz on being selected as Fort Gordon Post Soldier of the Year.

Received in the House from the Senate.

Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.

SCR 10 MCPHERSON TELEPHONES

Requests BellSouth to reconsider relocating its Alexandria call center.

Received in the House from the Senate.

Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.

SCR 11 HAINKEL CONDOLENCES

Extends condolences upon the death of Charles Y. McClendon.

Received in the House from the Senate.

Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.

SCR 12 DUPRE U S DEPARTMENTS

Requests the secretary of the Army to extend the rotation cycle of the district engineer of the New Orleans district of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers from the normal two-three year cycle to a minimum cycle of five years.

Received in the House from the Senate.

SCR 14 C D JONES BANKS/BANKING

Commends certain Louisiana banks for outstanding performance rating pursuant to the Community Reinvestment Act of 1977.

Received in the House from the Senate.

Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.

SCR 15 HOLLIS LEGIS POWERS/FUNCTIONS

Proclaims April 1through 7, 2002 as "American Business Women's Week".

Received in the House from the Senate.

Read by title, rules suspended, concurred in.

HB 2 BRUNEAU BOARDS/COMMISSIONS

Provides for membership of the Attorney Fee Review Board

Reported favorably (13-0) (Regular)

Rules suspended.

Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd

reading - regular calendar.

HB 16 TOWNSEND COURTS/CITY

Increases the civil jurisdictional amount for the City Court of Natchitoches

Reported favorably (5-0) (Regular)

Rules suspended.

Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd

reading - regular calendar.

HB 27 JOHNS CHILDREN/SUPPORT

Provides for the calculation of the child support obligations for shared custodial arrangements

Reported favorably (6-0) (Regular)

Rules suspended.

Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

HB 38 ANSARDI CHILDREN/ADOPTION

Authorizes stepparents as petitioners in intrafamily adoptions Reported with amendments (6-0) (Regular)

Rules suspended.

Read by title, amended, ordered engrossed, passed to

3rd reading - regular calendar.

- HB 45 ALARIO TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY
 Grants additional authority to Ernest N. Morial-New Orleans
 Exhibition Hall Authority to issue bonds to finance expansion
 projects and to provide for the levy and collection of an
 additional hotel occupancy tax and a food and beverage tax
 Reported with amendments (13-0) (Regular)
- HB 46 MURRAY TAX/SALES & USE
 Dedicates a portion of the revenues from one cent of the state sales tax on hotel occupancy levied in Orleans Parish
 Reported favorably (15-0) (Regular)
- HB 51 HAMMETT FUNDS/FUNDING

 Dedicates the proceeds of the state hotel/motel tax in

 Concordia Parish to the Concordia Parish Economic Development

 Fund

Reported favorably (13-0) (Regular) Rules suspended.

Read by title, ordered engrossed, passed to 3rd reading - regular calendar.

- HB 113 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/FIREFIGHTERS

 Terminates authority for individual firefighters to merge into the system with the insurance premium tax fund being applied to offset a certain portion of the costs of such mergers

 Read by title, returned to the calendar subject to call.
- HB 118 GLOVER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

 Provides for enterprise zone eligibility, tax incentive contracts, and tax credits available for new jobs created Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- HB 119 K CARTER TAX/SALES-USE, STATE

 Dedicates the state sales and use tax on hotel occupancy in

 Orleans parish

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- HB 120 LANDRIEU TAX/SALES-USE, STATE

 Dedicates the 1% sales tax on hotel occupancy in Orleans parish

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred

 to the Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- HB 121 GLOVER TAX CREDITS

 Extends the time period for the credits authorized for new jobs created by businesses in the motor vehicle parts manufacturing industry through incentive contracts

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- HB 122 TUCKER DISTRICTS/SPECIAL

 Provides relative to revenue producing utilities in community development districts

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on COMMERCE.
- HB 123 PIERRE CONSERVATION/OFFICE

 Provides relative to application fees charged by the office of conservation in the Department of Natural Resources

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on NATURAL RESOURCES.
- HB 124 LANDRIEU TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY
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 projects and to provide for the levy and collection of an
 additional hotel occupancy tax and a food and beverage tax
 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred
 to the Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- HB 125 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS
 Provides for procedures and time limitations for application
 for participation in the optional retirement plan by members of
 the Executive Career Service
 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred
 to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- HB 126 MURRAY TAX/SALES & USE

 Dedicates a portion of the revenues from one cent of the state sales tax on hotel occupancy levied in Orleans

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on WAYS & MEANS.

- HB 127 HAMMETT TAX/SALES-USE, STATE
 Authorizes certain state and local sales tax returns to be filed annually
 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- HB 128 HAMMETT TAX/SALES-USE, STATE

 Changes procedures for vendor's compensation

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- HB 129 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS

 Provides for eligibility for participation in the optional retirement plan and for procedures and time limitations for application for participation

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- HB 130 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT/STATE EMPS
 Provides for the rehiring of retirees
 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on RETIREMENT.
- HB 131 THOMPSON ENVIRONMENT/HAZ WASTE

 Establishes a right-to-know law for medical waste storage

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on ENVIRONMENT.
- HB 132 LEBLANC FUNDS/FUNDING

 Provides relative to the Deficit Elimination/Capital Outlay

 Fund

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on APPROPRIATIONS.
- HB 133 K CARTER TAX/HOTEL OCCUPANCY
 Grants additional authority to Ernest N. Morial-New Orleans
 Exhibition Hall authority to issue bonds to finance expansion
 projects and to provide for the levy and collection of an
 additional hotel occupancy tax and a food and beverage tax
 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred
 to the Committee on WAYS & MEANS.
- HB 134 SCHNEIDER RETIREMENT BENEFITS

 Relative to LASERS, provides for payment of retiree COLAs on a calendar-year basis and based on the Employee Experience Account balance for the prior fiscal year

 Read by title.
- HB 135 M STRAIN MUNICIPALITIES

 Provides relative to municipal annexation procedures

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on MUN & PAROC AFFAIRS.
- HB 136 DEWITT STUDENT/TUITION

 Authorizes the LSU Bd. of Supervisors to impose specific program fee amounts and increases in tuition and attendance fee amounts for certain programs

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.
- HB 137 QUEZAIRE HIGHWAYS

 Provides that certain outdoor signs shall not be placed one above the other in a stacked configuration

 Read by title, rules suspended, under the rules, referred to the Committee on TRAN, HWY & PUBL WKS.
- HR 1 MARTINY COMMENDATIONS

 Commends Russell Russo of Kenner upon his recognition as a Distinguished Finalist for the 2002 Prudential Spirit of Community Awards

 Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 2 FRITH CONDOLENCES

 Expresses the condolences of the House of Representatives upon the death of Dr. James Joseph Camel of Kaplan

 Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.
- HR 3 FRITH COMMENDATIONS

 Commends Joshua Moore of Erath upon his recognition as a

 Distinguished Finalist in the 2002 Prudential Spirit of

Community Awards

Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.

HR 4 DOWNER COMMENDATIONS

Commends Jack Wardlaw upon his retirement as capital bureau chief at The Times Picayune

Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.

HR 5 DOWNER COMMENDATIONS

Commends William Dunckelman of Houma upon his receipt of a 2002 Prudential Spirit of Community Award

Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.

HR 6 MARTINY COMMENDATIONS

Commends Courtney Bourgeois of Kenner upon her receipt of a 2002 Prudential Spirit of Community Award

Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.

HR 7 CRANE SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH

Recognizes April of 2002 as Community and Technical College Month and acknowledges the contributions of Louisiana's community and technical colleges

Enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and taken by the Clerk of the House to the Secretary of State in accordance with the Rules of the House.

HCR 1 HUTTER SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH

Recognizes annually the week of September 11 as a week of prayer and remembrance $\,$

Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR 3 DOWNER COMMENDATIONS

Commends Louis Toups upon being named Louisiana State Police Uniformed Trooper of the Year

Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR 7 M STRAIN SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH

Recognizes the Reserve Peace Officers of the state of Louisiana and declares the first full week of April as "State Reserve Peace Officer Recognition Week"

Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR 8 SCHNEIDER COMMENDATIONS

Commends the LSU Fighting Tigers upon the culmination of the historic 2001 football season

Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR 9 McDONALD CONDOLENCES

Expresses the condolences of the Louisiana Legislature upon the death of Tony Cascio of Monroe

Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR 10 ANSARDI COMMENDATIONS

Commends the American Society of Civil Engineers upon the occasion of its one hundred fiftieth anniversary Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR 11 FLAVIN CONDOLENCES

Expresses condolences upon the death of Judge Edwin F. Hunter, ${\tt Jr.}$ of Lake Charles

Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR 12 FLAVIN CONDOLENCES

Expresses condolences upon the death of former District Attorney Frank T. Salter, Jr. of Calcasieu Parish Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR 17 JOHNS CONDOLENCES

Expresses condolences upon the death of Eugene "Gene" Allen of Sulphur

Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR 20 BAYLOR SPECIAL DAY/WEEK/MONTH

Recognizes annually the first Tuesday in May as National High School Seniors' Voter Registration Day

Received from the Senate without amendments.

HCR 22 CAZAYOUX CONDOLENCES

Expresses condolences upon of death of Donald Anthony "Donnie"

Andre of Rosedale

Read by title, rules suspended, adopted, ordered to the

HCR 23 CAZAYOUX CONDOLENCES

Expresses condolences upon the death of Freddie H. Pitre, Sr. of Plaquemine

Read by title, rules suspended, adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HCR 24 FAUCHEUX HUNTING/DEER

Requests the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission to allow hunting with dogs in the Maurepas \mathtt{WMA}

Read by title, rules suspended, adopted, ordered to the Senate.

HCR 25 FAUCHEUX WILDLIFE/MGT AREAS

Requests the Wildlife and Fisheries Commission and the Department of Wildlife and Fisheries to allow use of camps in the Maurepas WMA

Read by title, rules suspended, adopted, ordered to the Senate. $\,$